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EDUCATION

Master in Environmental Science and Management (Expected 2017)

Bren School of Environmental Science & Management - University of California, Santa Barbara (UCSB)
Coastal Marine Resources Management Specialization

Honors: Recipient of the Walton Family Foundation's Latin American Fisheries Fellowship (LAFF) hosted by the Bren School's Sustainable Fisheries Group

Scholarship: Peruvian Government Scholarships (PRONABEC); "Beca Presidente de la República" for a full Economics Master's program in Chile

Licentiate in Economics (June 2012)

Pontificia Universidad Católica del Perú (Lima, Peru)

Professional title roughly half way between a bachelor's degree and a master's degree in Economics

Bachelor Degree in Economics (August 2011)

Pontificia Universidad Católica del Perú (Lima, Peru)

Honors: Upper 4.22% (Tenth) of the General Historic Ranking of students in Economics

WORK EXPERIENCE

Intern (July 2016 – September 2016)

The Nature Conservancy (TNC), Lima, Peru

- Carried out an analysis to measure the effect of the ongoing self-governance experiences in the coast of Peru in a set of indicators relevant for the national interest.

Consultant (August 2013 –Present)

Inteligencia Financiera S.A.C. (INTELFIN), Lima, Peru

- Involved in various projects related to the fisheries sector, including support to the Forum for Sustainable Fisheries and economic analysis of different fisheries (Peruvian anchovy, Jumbo Squid, Seaweed), including analysis of MSC certification of Peruvian anchovy fishery

Research Assistant (November 2011 – July 2013)

CENTRUM Católica - Graduate Business School, Lima, Peru

- Assisted research professors through revision of academic literature, programming of economic models, database management, elaboration of statistic tables and preparation of reports

Research Assistant (December 2010 – April 2011)

Proexpansión S.R.L., Lima, Peru

- Participated in a team research project conducting to the publication of the book "Diez años de la cadena de la papa en el Perú y la intervención de INCOPI"
- Conducted data coding, data entry, transcribing, data analysis, and report writing.

Research Assistant (February 2010 – December 2010)

Pontificia Universidad Católica del Perú (PUCP), Lima, Peru

- Took part in a research project: "Tratados de Libre Comercio y las relaciones económicas de Canadá con Perú y Colombia"

Presented written and visual interpretations of collected data related with trade statistics between the three countries

MASTER'S THESIS GROUP PROJECT

Turning the tide on artisanal fisheries in the Gulf of Nicoya (April 2016 – Present)

Client: Fish Forever at Rare

This project model potential outcomes, in terms of biomass and profit production, of different management strategies being considered to recover the Gulf of Nicoya from overfishing. It then addresses fishermen's perceptions on the potential performance, challenges and benefits, of management interventions being considered in the Gulf of Nicoya.

- Financial Manager – track, manage, communicate about, and update the group's budget.
- Summer 2016 Fieldwork - conducted interviews with different stakeholders, performed surveys targeting representatives of fishermen associations in the Gulf of Nicoya.

PUBLICATIONS

Flores, Diana (2014) "La telefonía móvil: la oportunidad hacia una mayor inclusión financiera". *Revista Económica*, Nr. 2: 63-68.

SKILLS

Language: Fluent in English and Spanish

Computer software: Microsoft Office Suite, R Studio, Eviews, Stata.